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## MASS MEETINGS ON 20-CENT ROAD TAX TO BE HELD

Speakers Will Invaade Every Precinct  
In Mason County During Next  
Week Boosting Twenty-Cent  
Road Tax—Engagements  
Announced.

The Good Roads Organization boosting the twenty-cent road tax which will be voted on in Mason county on June 14th have arranged a series of mass meetings to cover every precinct in the county for next week. The speakers at the various places cannot be announced at this time but will be made known at a later date.

At each of the places designated below, however, there will be a very interesting meeting and the persons in those various precincts are urged to attend on the date given to hear the matter discussed. They may hear some phase of the question brought out that they have not yet thought on.

The engagements for the various precincts, the places of meeting and the precinct chairmen are given herewith:

**Monday Night, June 9.**  
Mayslick School—R. L. Turner and W. E. Pyles.  
Lewisburg school—A. K. Marshall.  
Helena Church—June Clarke.  
Sardis school—R. K. Chambers.  
**Tuesday Night, June 10.**  
Germantown, K. of P. Hall—Dan Lloyd.  
Fernleaf, Hendrickson Store—Jos. Graybill.  
Minerva school—C. L. Mains.  
Dover, K. of P. Hall—J. E. Anderson.  
**Wednesday Night, June 11.**  
Phugtown, Moransburg church—Robert Lloyd.  
Washington school—John Claybrook.  
Murphysville, M. E. Church—A. H. Prather.  
**Thursday Night, June 12.**  
Orangeburg, Christian Church—Dr. Win Hord.  
Plumville, Rectorville school—Geo. H. Turnipsed.  
Springdale, Bull Creek School.  
Dieterich—Oklahoma School House—Jas. B. Wood.

## DO YOU LIKE GOOD THINGS TO EAT?

Try the strawberries, ice cream and cake—beore the war style—to be served at the Washington Consolidated School on Saturday, June 7, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 10 in the evening. Bring your friends, enjoy yourself and help the school. 2-6t

## SMALLPOX SITUATION WILL BE HANDLED AT AUGUSTA

Mason County Health Officer Reports That It Will Not Be Necessary For This County to Take Any Steps at Present.

Dr. Rice, Mason County Health Officer, returned Thursday from Augusta where he had spent the day investigating the smallpox situation in that town and reports that the local and state boards of health now have the situation well in hand and that he does not think it necessary for Mason county to take any action at present to prevent the spread of the disease in this county.

Dr. Rice says that the smallpox is in a very mild form and that all of the cases are being quarantined. Dr. Furbush, of Covington, is on hand to handle the situation for the State Board of Health and he informed Dr. Rice that he would handle the situation from that end of the line and if it became necessary he would place a quarantine on the entire town of Augusta making it unnecessary for the other towns and cities nearby to take any quarantine action. Upon this information Dr. Rice is letting the matter rest and does not see it necessary to take any action just at this time.

## THE LITTLE BRICK CHURCH

The church will be open Sunday to all comers. Those who wish to enjoy the Missionary service must come at 10:30, better come at 9:30 and get all the good things. You need to see our Sunday School at work, see the enthusiasm manifested. It will entuse you. On account of the baccalaureate sermon at the High School building there will be no service Sunday night. A contest of attendance is on by this brotherhood with the Men's Class of the Third Street M. E. Church. We wish every member of the Brotherhood to be present Sunday morning at 9:30 and to bring some one with him.

Silk remnants at low prices. We know they will interest you. HUNT'S.

## PROGRAMS MUCH ENJOYED

The program rendered at the First District School Thursday evening was greatly enjoyed by a good sized audience. The Parent-Teachers' Association of this school always does things properly. They have one of the strongest supporting organizations in the city. The exhibit of the children's work was quite interesting.

Col. J. W. Bowman, of Bowman Springs, was in Maysville today on business and shaking hands with his many friends.

## TAX ASSESSMENT FOR MASON COUNTY APPROVED BY BOARD

Assessment As Returned By County Board of Supervisors Is Approved By State Tax Commission.

The Kentucky State Tax Commission on Thursday approved the tax assessment as returned by the Mason County Board of Tax Supervisors and certified it to State Auditor Green. The recapitulation shows that the total amount of taxes due the state of Kentucky from Mason county is \$84,784.25 while there is a total of \$18,918.723 subject to county taxation.

The Mason County Commissioners have not as yet fixed the tax levy for the fiscal year. This was to have been done several days ago but the commissioners are holding up this action until after the road tax election on Saturday, June 14, so as to tell about what will be needed for road work for the ensuing year.

It will be remembered that the State Tax Commission at first requested a great increase in the assessment in Mason county and that one board of supervisors resigned rather than to make the increase. The last board appointed, however, made an increase of about 8 per cent. over last year and it is quite a relief to know that the state Commission has accepted these figures and has approved them to the auditor.

The recapitulation as approved to the State Auditor for this county by the State Tax Commission follows:

Total Assessed Value of Live Stock	\$1,105,610
Less Exemption from Live Stock	188,534
Live Stock subject to State Tax	917,076
All Other Property Assessed	29,966,793
Total Assessment of said county	21,883,869
Total Taxes due the state	\$4,784.25
Intangible Personal Property	2,407,670
Agriculture Implements	148,274
Manufacturing Machinery	249,377
Raw Material at Plant	159,825
Total exempted	2,965,146
Total amount subject to County Tax	\$18,918.723

If you want non-fading porch shades, easily adjusted, perfectly ventilated, made of heavy slats closely joined with heavy cord, see Vudors at HUNT'S.

## AUGUSTA EDITOR IS QUARANTINED

Editor Thompson, of the Augusta Chronicle, is quarantined at his home in Augusta, his son having a slight case of smallpox. Despite his being quarantined he issued a live paper this week. The Chronicle is one of our best exchanges and we hope Brother Thompson's family will soon be all right again.

## MASONIC NOTICE

Maysville Lodge No. 59 F. & A. M. will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday evening, June 9, at 7:30. The M. M. degree will be conferred. Following the work lunch will be served. All members are urged to attend. Visitors are cordially invited. L. H. VEALE, M. M. C. P. Rasp, Secretary.

## CONTRACT FOR BAND UNIFORMS AWARDED

The managing committee of the Maysville Boys' Band at a meeting held Thursday evening awarded the contract for the uniforms for the Boys' Band to D. Hechinger & Company. The uniforms will be made in the very near future and the boys hope to have their suits before the Fourth of July.

## SOFT DRINK SALOONS HAVING BIG RUSH

The soft drink saloons in Maysville are having quite a rush during this warm spell. Although the near beer has no kick it seems to be greatly in demand and the counters in behind the brass rails are crowded every day.

## FUNERAL HELD TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Nicholson was held this afternoon from the late home in Limestone street and burial was made in the Maysville cemetery. There were many old friends in attendance at the funeral.

## CONTRACT FOR BEAU- TIFUL PORCH IS LET

Banker James N. Kehoe has let a contract to Mr. James Dawson to build a concrete floor in the large porch in front of his palatial home in West Second street. The porch will be trimmed in marble slabs.

High grade models in Warner, Redfern and Gossard Corsets now reduced to \$2.75, \$2.50, \$5. Great bargains. HUNT'S.

## BODY OF EXECUTED MAN TO BE BROUGHT HERE

Lewis Harris Paid in Electric Chair This Morning For Murder—Body to Be Brought Here Tomorrow.

Lewis Harris, Mason county negro man, convicted several months ago by a Mason County Jury on a charge of murder in the first degree, was electrocuted at the State Penitentiary at Eddyville this morning before day break. No particulars of the electrocution have been received here. The Mason county officials are expecting an official report from the warden of the State Penitentiary in a few days. No one from Maysville was present at the execution.

The body will arrive here Saturday evening and be taken direct to the Maysville cemetery for burial in a lot provided by his aged mother, who was so loyal to him during the trial of the case.

Harris is the third man to be electrocuted from Mason county in the last twenty-five years—the other two being the Smith brothers—and much interest was taken in the case here.

## CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Children Will Render a Special Program at the Presbyterian Church On Next Sunday Morning.

Superintendent James B. Wood, of the Presbyterian Sunday School, announces that next Sunday will be observed by that school as Children's day and a program which is an unusual one, has been arranged. The program for 10:45 a. m. is announced as follows:

Opening Sentences.  
Solo and Children's Chorus.  
Baptism of Children.  
Song by School.  
Exercises by Primary Department.  
Anthem by Choir.  
Remarks by Pastor.  
Offering for Sunday School Missions.  
Solo—Miss Elizabeth Barbour.  
Closing Song by School and Congregation.  
Benediction.

All members of the Sunday School and congregation urged to be present and the public cordially invited.

Just received for skirts, exquisite quality white silk, peau de cyne, \$2 yard. HUNT'S.

## NO BOY SCOUT DRIVE IN MASON COUNTY

Mr. James B. Wood, who is chairman for Mason county in the Boy Scout Associate Membership drive which begins in the state of Kentucky tomorrow, today stated that after considering the matter he had reached the conclusion that a drive for financial support in Mason county at this time would not be proper because the Mason county people do not thoroughly understand the scout movement and because of the many calls for financial assistance coming just at this time here. Mr. Wood hopes to have the Boy Scout movement in Mason county in splendid condition for such a drive later.

All suits, none reserved now sell at 25 per cent. reduction. HUNT'S.

## FORD EVIDENCE NEAR END

Mt. Clemens, Mich.—The end of the long list of depositions and Tribune editorials being read by Henry Ford's counsel into the testimony of the Ford Chicago Tribune trial was in sight at the opening of court Friday. It is expected objections will lead to long debate.

## FORMER STUDENTS OF MAYSVILLE HIGH TOGETHER TONIGHT

First Gathering of School Closing to Be Held at High School Auditorium—Program For Baccalaureate Service Announced.

It is hoped that there will be a large gathering of former Maysville High School students at the High School auditorium this evening at the meeting of the M. H. S. Alumni Association, program for which was announced in the Public Ledger several days ago.

Besides music by the Boys' Band and vocal selections by Mrs. H. C. Barnes, Judge C. D. Newell and Hon. Stanley F. Reed will deliver addresses. Judge Newell will speak on the Alumni in the World War and pay a special tribute to the memory of Joe Calvert while Mr. Reed has for his subject, "A Constructive Program for the Alumni Association."

This meeting is really the first of Commencement Week exercises and it promises to be one of the most interesting of the entire series of meetings.

Superintendent W. J. Caplinger of the city schools, this afternoon announced the program for the Baccalaureate Services to be held at the High School auditorium on next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. This program follows:

Hymn—"Come Thou Almighty King"—Congregation.  
Scripture Reading—Rev. Worth S. Peters.  
Prayer.  
Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"—Congregation.  
Announcements—Prof. W. J. Caplinger.  
Creation's Hymn—Girls' Glee Club.  
Address—Dr. George W. Bunton, Dayton, Ohio.  
Doxology.

Quaker Craft lace, panel and sectional designs, large assortment, 35c to \$1.95 a yard. Quaker Craft lace curtains, beautiful patterns, \$1.98 to \$8.50 a pair. HUNT'S.

## BAPTIST PASTOR WILL PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Because of the annual school sermon at Paris on next Sunday morning where Dr. B. B. Bailey is now in a revival meeting, he will be able to spend Sunday in Maysville and will preach as usual at his church at the morning hour.

## OLD BLUE LICK VEIN STRUCK NEAR MYERS

Famous Water Which Has Been Lost For Years Is Found While Sinking Oil Well Near Myers Station.

Word was brought to Maysville this afternoon that the famous old Blue Lick vein which has been lost for many years was accidentally found a few days ago near Myers station when drilling for oil. It is understood that the vein struck is a very strong one and that the water is pouring forth in a large stream. Folks who have greatly enjoyed the famous water will be glad to know of this discovery. Plans are already under way to bottle water and many folks throughout this section of the state are now hauling it away.

It will be remembered that several years ago the vein at the famous old Blue Lick Springs sank into the ground mysteriously and could not be found again. Hundreds of dollars were spent by the owners of the property to find the vein again and some ten or fifteen holes were bored into the ground but all failed to find the lost water.

Blue Lick water was for years among the most popular of mineral waters in the United States and there is every reason to believe that it will take its old place in a short time.

Voiles in prodigal variety. Exquisite pattern assortment and solid colors., 35c to \$1.50 yard. HUNT'S.

## WEDDING OF WEDNESDAY

The Society column of the Lexington Herald says:

Mrs. William Luttrell announces the marriage of her daughter Elizabeth Duke to

Mr. Thomas Anderson Gooding Wednesday, June the Fourth nineteen hundred and nineteen Lexington, Kentucky.

Winston-Salem, North Carolina. The wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist church, Dr. J. W. Porter officiating. Shortly after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Gooding left for a bridal trip through Central Kentucky, which will terminate at Maysville, the bride's home. After a brief stay there, Mr. and Mrs. Gooding will go on to Winston-Salem, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Eugene Held and wife and Miss Lillian Giani of Newport, were here attending the funeral of Mrs. Susan Nicholson today.

## PLANS ARE GOING FORWARD FOR OLD SETTLERS' REUNION

Old Settlers Reunion at Ruggles Camp Grounds Will Be Great Big Event.

The Hon. B. C. Grigsby, President of the Old Settlers' Association of Mason, Lewis and Fleming counties, is busily engaged these days in preparing the greatest program ever given by its forthcoming celebration at Ruggles Campgrounds on the Fourth of July. There will be at least two distinguished speakers—men who have seen service overseas. The German town band is to furnish music, and there will be a sort of community singing of the songs made famous by the war. It is planned to make it a royal welcome for the soldier boys.

A big country dinner is to be served to all soldiers who attend in uniform, free. Besides each soldier is to be permitted to bring his wife, mother, sister, or sweetheart, as the case may be. Soldiers will not be charged the usual admission fee at the gate.

President Grigsby is enthusiastic over the outlook for a glorious day. This annual reunion of the old settlers always draws an immense crowd. Last year many of the boys were away. This year it will be a happy reunion of all.

Extra values in black, white and colored, full fashioned silk stockings, \$1.50. HUNT'S.

## SCHOOL FINALS BEGIN

Final examinations began in the local schools this morning and in the grade schools will continue through the greater part of next week while the High School students will complete their tests the first of the week.

## EASTERN STAR

The order of the Eastern Star meets this evening at 7:30 o'clock in Masonic Temple.

## MRS. IVY RAMAGE, W. M.

Miss Sallie Rains, matron of the Girl College at Pikeville, returned to this city Thursday for the summer.

Mrs. J. B. Goodfellow of Norwalk, O., is visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Power of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Steele returned Thursday evening from a two weeks' stay at Martinsville, Ind.

Last day for discount for Gas Bills June 1st. Maysville Gas Co.

## Trusses

OUR LINE OF TRUSSES ARE ALL HIGH GRADE AND WILL STAND THE WEAR AND TEAR OF SUMMER MONTHS. WE GUARANTEE A FIT.

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THIRD STREET DRUG STORE



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the  
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**MIKE BROWN**

The Square Deal Man  
of Square Deal Square.

## THE HOME OF QUALITY CLOTHES

## STEP OUT!

DON'T FOLLOW THE COWPATH THIS SUMMER—THE RUT OF HEAVY, STYLELESS CLOTHES. STRIDE OUT ALONG THE HIGHWAY OF CLEVER, COMFORTABLE FASHIONS. WEAR A PALM BEACH, TROPICAL WORSTED OR MOHAIR SUIT. OUR STOCK IS ENDLESS IN RANGE AND SATISFACTION.

THERE IS ONE WAY TO KEEP COOL ALL DAY—

Wear One of Our Summer Suits

**D. Hechinger & Co.**

CLOTHIERS

## Of Very Special Interest

On Saturday, June 7th, we will place on our bargain tables the broken lots and odds and ends of all our best selling numbers in Shirt Waists. They are grouped in two lots for quick selling and while each lot contains all sizes from 36 to 46 not every style is represented in every size.

Each Shirt Waist is an up-to-date summer style made of newest and sheerest fabrics such as voile, lawn or batiste, all smart-red and brightened up here and there with a touch of color.

One Lot is Marked \$1.98

One Lot is Marked \$2.48

They are all perfect and the most of them are "ROYALS" the quantity is limited and qualities wonderful the best ones will naturally go first when they go on sale SATURDAY AT 9 A. M. Take a peep in the window at some of the styles.

**MEERZ BROS.**